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The cover shows Marines loading up to escort convoy to Turaybil, Iraq (2^d Force Service Support Group/Brian A. Jaques). The front inside cover features [top to bottom] USS Harry S. Truman and USS Monterey being replenished at sea by USNS Arctic (U.S. Navy/Joe Burgess); Marines guiding high mobility multipurpose vehicle off high speed vessel Westpac Express in Thailand, Operation Unified Assistance (U.S. Marine Corps/Patrick J. Floto); Soldiers building A-22 container delivery system with humanitarian aid in Afghanistan (416th Air Expeditionary Group/Scott T. Sturkol); and HH–60 helicopter being offloaded from C–5 at Kadena Air Base, Japan (18th Communications Squadron/Michael Pallazola). The table of contents

depicts [left] tsunami victims helping unload relief supplies from Navy MH-60S in Sumatra, Indonesia, Operation Unified Assistance (Fleet Combat Camera Group, Pacific/Alan D. Monyelle); [right] Marines providing security for engineers on the Iraq-Syria border (U.S. Marine Corps/Christopher G. Graham). The back inside cover shows C–17s making low level pass near Biggs Army Air Field during Composite Force Operations training (1st Combat Camera Squadron/Matthew Hannen). The back cover reveals [top] Soldiers filing off C–130 for Quick Reaction Force exercise in Texas (U.S. Air Force/Derrick C. Goode); [left to right] Sailors conducting maritime security operations in Gulf of Aden, Operation Iraqi Freedom (Fleet Combat Camera Group, Atlantic/Robert McRill); Coast Guardsmen patrolling cruise ship pier in Juneau, Alaska (U.S. Coast Guard/Gail Skinner); Marines patrolling in Afghanistan for Taliban insurgents (22d Marine Expeditionary Unit/Keith A. Milks); and F–16 taking off from Shaw Air Force Base, Operation Noble Eagle (20th Communications Squadron/Keri S. Whitehead).

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